

Honorable Richard B. Russell
United States Senate
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Senator Russell:

When we were recently fellow travellers on the S. S. United States, I mentioned to you that just before leaving, I had received a letter from Senator George with regard to S. 2614, introduced into the Senate 22 July 1955, by Senator Smith of New Jersey, "To establish a Joint Committee on Foreign Intelligence."

As matters of this nature had usually in the past been handled in the Armed Services Committee, I venture to send you a copy of my letter from Senator George of 23 July and my reply of 18 August 1955.

Sincerely,

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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